

## Message Text

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FM AMCONSUL FRANKFURT  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9579  
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E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: BEXP., GW  
SUBJECT: WTDR - BATRA, RICHARD BALMER.

REF USDOC 02886

1. ADDRESS: POSTF. 150, AM BAHNHOF, 5580 TRABEN-TRARBACH/  
MOSEL, W. GERMANY CABLE: BATRA, TELEX: 04729290, PHONE: 06541-9363,  
OFFICER: RICHARD BALMER, OWNER.

2. MANUFACTURER OF RECORDING PAPER FOR DIAGRAMS AND OTHER ELECTRICAL  
MEASURING INSTRUMENTS, DISTRIBUTOR OF OTHER TECHNICAL PAPER  
AND PAPER FOR CALCULATORS. SALES WORLDWIDE. MR. BALMER HAS A  
BOOKPRINTING SHOP AT THE SAME ADDRESS. EMPLOYEES FOR BOTH FIRMS:  
40, FIRM CONTRACTS 7 REPRESENTATIVES.

3. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: DEUTSCHE BANK A.G., KREISSPARKASSE,  
TRABENTRARBACH. TRADE REFERENCES: N/A.

4. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED OR LICENSING ARRANGEMENTS: NONE.

5. REGISTERED AS SINGLE PROPRIETORSHIP OWNED BY RICHARD BALMER, 53.  
HE AND HIS FIRMS HAVE VERY GOOD REPUTATION. FINANCES IN ORDER.  
BALMER OWNER OF PLANT REAL ESTATE, ERECTED IN 1966, VALUED ABOUT  
DM 450,000 WITH ENCUMBRANCES. OTHER LARGER CAPITAL INVESTMENT  
IN MODERN EQUIPMENT. NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION RECEIVED ON PAYMENTS.  
RECOMMENDED AS A GOOD BUSINESS CONTACT.

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